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WEATHER.

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OREGON'S LABOR REPRESENTATION

One hundred delegates from the Ore gon State branch of the National Federation of Labor (the mightiest organi zation of its kind in the world, and the most effective, because the cleanest), are in annual session in this city, in the interests of the world's work and workers, as these figure and operate in this division of the Northwest. They are, officially, of course, the guests of the local Federation group and are being thoroughly well taken care of.

These earnest, clever men are engaged in the superlative task of up-lifting labor and advancing the standards of progress all along the line of diversified industry throughout the state they represent. The mission is among the noblest on earth and compassed with difficulties whose range is as great as the profound interest that is given them so ungrudgingly. Every atom of success is a triumph, and every triumph a land-mark in history; since, of the two masterforces of civilization, capital and labor the latter holds cardinal and undisturbable primacy in the world of human activity and progress. The doctrine of exchange giving it an imperishable pre cedence. Labor and the fruits of labor may be made of universal current use to man, while mere money, unbacked by cent of the people in this country suffer the impulse of labor is valueless, abor- at one time or another with this com tive and non-essential. This, of course, in the abstract sense. Under (so-called) civilized conditions, as they exist today, capital is just as profound a quality in the adjustment of human affairs as labor, since neither can operate with any ed by both, is the discovery, and estabment. The search for this line of mergance and correlated action has been going on for untold centuries;, and we with all mankind, shall be infinitely glad of its unfolding, and would not feel the

meeting and a year full of genuine successes along the largest and best of its

THE MAYOR'S MESSAGE.

Mayor Wise has clearly stated the pregnant facts of finance and administrative necessities confronting the city for the year 1908.

There is much to be done, and less than usual, in the way of resource, of the Signal, at the great resort-city wherewith to do it. He takes high ground by the sea. in the matter of the abatement of the "blood-money" revenue, and every respectable citizen here, and abroad, will "Manny," who is known from one end commend his conclusions as fast as they

The municipal levy leaves the city second from the lowest in the whole state as to the per capita imposition for the year, despite the glaring fact that an extraordinary deficit has had to be met from the safer and cleaner reliance upon direct taxation.

His recommendations are few and to the point,, so far as expediency and good government are concerned, nor do they involve any great expenditure of public money. This is closely in line with the prevailing sentiment for economy. His demand for the improvement of the waterfront is entirely apropos and should be heeded; the urgency in connection with the thorough and early completion of the Irving avenue im-

Scandinavian -American Savings Bank

506-508 Commercial St.

LOCAL CAPITAL COURTEOUS TREATMENT EXPERIENCED MANAGEMENT

the opening of Commercial street to Smith's Point, are beyond all adverse argument, and his presentment of the gas franchise issue, is indisputable.

The message is entitled to close scrutiny by every citizen since the major tone of the document touches the civic pride and property interest of all hands and is a fair exposition of the present real status of the municipality.

OUR REPUTATION.

The annual levies for public revenue that the reputation of the City of Astoria has not been marketed this year. and the advance of the municipal levy Il mills, leaving us a mill to the good and turn our attention to other things over 1907, and a "conscience void of Fire Department. over 1907, and a "conscience void of dicker with the dives. It is a long and a wholesome step and worth paying for, and since we are paying less than usual. and since we are paying less than usual, mal regulation, should be genuine, and universal, and it no doubt is.

Astoria, with the next lowest burden of taxation of all cities in the Northwest is well prepared to meet her civic obligations fairly and fully, and face the world in 1908 minus the pestiferous presin the state.

This is a condition for which the Morning Astorian has fought for years and it, with all its patronage, and the general local public, realizes the efficacy of the attitude, whatever the source that wrought it.

Disturbed the Congregation

The person who disturbed the congre gation last Sunday by continually coughing is requested to buy a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar. T. F. Laurin, Owl Drug Store.

CATARRH YIELDS.

To Healing Air of Hyome Guarantee by T. F. Laurin.

Catarrh is the most prevalent disease known to humanity. Probably 90 per mon disease.

freedom or success without the other; with the air you breathe, goes directly lungs; kills all catarrhal germs; heals ment it has made in years. lishment, of that parallel upon which the irritated mucous membrane and both may reach an ultimate of achieve- vitalizes the tissues so as to render catarrh no longer possible.

The unique way in which Hyomei is sold should dispel all doubt as to its curative properties, for T. F. Laurin gives his absolute guarantee to refund have been donated by Florist Erickson; worn trick of entitle price to any catarrh sufferer that the good ladies of the Woman's Club less happy, if the hidden principle shall Hyomei fails to benefit. You do not have erected a beautiful drinking founemanate from some such assemblage as risk a cent in testing its healing powers. What offer could be more fair to you At all events, we wish the Federation than this, where a leading druggist takes a pleasant and successful issue from the all the risk of Hyomei giving satisfaction, and leaves you to be the judge.

> Lane's Family Medicine will give you a digestion that will permit you to eat good things instead of "health foods" of various sorts that are as palatable as

Mrs. R. M. Watson, and child, of Seaside, are in the city for a few days, and are domiciled at the Curtis. Mrs. Watson is the wife of the well-known editor

Emanuel Meyer, better known as of Oregon to the other, is a business visit to Astoria, from Portland.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine Tablets. Druggists .efund money if it fails to cure. E. W. GROVE'S signature is on each box. 25c.

COFFEE

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Can't get the goods or the money.

Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him

nance was against the Oregon Statutes, contrary to the requirements of our city charter, and wrong in principle. Street Improvements. The system of street improvements

treet to Uniontown.

ing repealed the ordinance to license nickle in the slot machines. Said ordi-

planned by this Council is of paramount

importance. Among the 38 improve-

ments there are two to which I must re-

fer especially: First-The improvement of Irving

Avenue from Ninth to Fortieth Street.

Second-The extension of Commercial

With the Irving Avenue Improvement

Organized under the State Laws.

CONSERVATIVE METHODS

MESSAGE IS PRESENTED

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cannot be removed without causing pain bring more life into the body politic. but is it better to let the cancer grow until relief is impossible? Something The cutting of the county levy 12 mills had to be done! It has been done, and now let us from this day on forget it

The Fire Department has been enowned by the city have evidently car. gation. the appreciation of the change, to nor- ried no weight. The two engines still lay as so much junk. I pray that a general conflagration may never visit Astoria and wipe out the earnings of many years, but if ever the fire fiend does come and, burning the wooden streets, causes the water mains to break, (as they did in San Francisco, a couple of steam en Street Excavations. gines would pump, water out of the bay which in such an emergency would seem tige of being the only "wide-open" town like golden showers. I therefore again and most respectfully urge the com-

engines to usefulness West End Fire Company

First impressions may not always be against all who fail to get a permit or the best and strangers do not always fail to repair the streets remain long enough to have that im-pression obliterated. What is the first pression obliterated. What is the first impression a visitor receives as he comes into this city by rail or by steamer? Debris of all sorts is littered along the city's water-front, and it seems to me that if the council can order a street improved when it becomes dangerous it may also find a way to remove danger. may also find a way to remove danger-ous material along the water-front. In ous material along the water-front. In its present condition life and property eighteen new mining stocks appeared its present condition life and property on the curb, and the purported value of are both endangered. Pedestrians may on the curb, and the purported value of easily stumble over into the water, and of dollars. The mines that are worth fires originate midst the piles of rotted anything are owned by millionaires who timber and miscellaneous rubbish along the water front. Let the Council pass a proving the water front by clearing, and to house. It has been well said that in the usual manner are ordinary the average mine whose stock is really and the average mine whose stock is really as the ave cured only by some method that will reach and destroy the germs.

This is best found in Hyomei, which may be called the direct method of treating catarrh, as its medication, taken in with the air you breathe, goes directly endear itself to the vast majority of the hot air mining artists, I would recomfreedom or success without the other; with the air you breathe, goes directly endear itself to the vast majority of the mend that an ordinance be passed protected the one unescapable lesson to be learn-to every air cell in the nose, throat and people and bring about the best improve hibiting this species of swindle within

tain at the entrance of the park, and the honorable Water Commission furnished that cover an up-to-date Mayor's chair free water. I hereby on behalf of the people publicly extend thanks to the So many people complained to m Woman's Club, and to Mr. Erickson and about the Gas Service in Astoria and beautiful park site.

of municipal improvement I can not streets. forego the pleasure of expending a certain degree of pride in the starting of a modern hotel; no city can make much progress unless it has an abode where however, it has been universally recognized. men with means, who enjoy the com-forts of life they are accustomed to ple's birth-right and to be leased to would like to stay long enough to learn whomsoever considered them of value something of Astoria's advantages. I ander certain restrictions only, and also take pride in acquainting the world upon the payment of an annual license with the fact that Astoria has just completed the most modern and most beauti-

ful county court house in Oregon. limit the territory where saloons may tween \$7000.00 and \$10,000.00 for using be established; safety lies between the gas in the city hall and fire engine two extremes-unlimited licenses on the houses. one hand, total prohibition on the other.
An additional preventive against a general application of the Local Option owe a greater allegiance to the whole Law, would be the abolition of private people, therefore I have the honor to boxes in the rear of saloons in the recommend: business district; such saloon boxes are frequently used for immoral purposes. It is unfair to make the decent saloon. Second: That in lieu thereof an ordikeeper share in the blame attached to nance be passed giving to the said wrongdoers in the business; there are Astoria Gas Light Company certain good and bad men in every line of trade, privileges for a limited number of years.

Nickle-in- The Slot Machines You are to be congratulated for hav-

are add another connecting link between East and West Astoria. No longer will we be in danger of being isolated in case the roadway to the east end of the city burns down, and, besides, the opening

of a through street up on the hill makes the residence section more accessible, and offers an inducement for the estabin my heart, but rather with sorrow; I inveigh not against men but against the system. If Jones & Brown had not engaged in it, then White & Black would. The system made easy fortunes possible and it was thought that one set of men might as well make them as another. It took more courage for those men to conduct such enterprises in the face of a hostile public sentiment and against the laws of Nature and of the State, than for us, the rest of the people, to take revenue from them and then scorn them and villify the officers of the law for doing their sworn duty. I am conscious while a specific of the people of the west end were separated from the rest of the city for weeks, bereft of fire protection and put lishment of an interurban line; for, by in the civic divisions for which Clatsop doing their sworn duty. I am conscious weeks, bereft of fire protection and put to many inconveniences. As every arstands, are not so burdensome as they change is being enforced in the established habits of a community. A cancer lished habits of a community. A cancer look, so must each connecting link While upon the subject of street im-

provements, I consider it but just to say that the honorable members of the street committee truly deserve the especial commendation of the public; few people have any idea how much time labor and patience is given by this com-

Supplies.

Last year I suggested the advisability of making an estimate and advertising for bids for such supplies as the city uses in large quantities; I therefore renew the suggestion. The proper time to

Ordinance No. 3192, regulating excavating in public throughfares, approved December 5, 1905, provides that before mittee on Fire and Water to restore the a person or corporation may proceed to dig holes in the streets they must first secure a permit therefor, and, after a reasonable length of time, put the street dences and manufacturing plants in in a satisfactory condition, as prescribed of a fire company there imperative; such a company would also be a great help to the whole city in times of stress.

Licensing Hot Air Peddlers. One of the worst forms of swindling in this city; or, if that conflicts with the Oregon statutes, I would suggest the The Park Commission this year completed a fine driveway around the Band Stand Knoll; they have also caused said knoll to be cleared of dead timber, and knoll to be cleared of dead timber, and tives of gold and coal barons, who wish upon the brow thereof rows of shade to try their hands at the old and time trees have been planted, which trees worn trick of enriching people by the

Gas Franchise.

Now comes another one of those duties with tacks.

to the Water Commission for their kind have asked whether the City is impoten ness. Would that some wealthy person with the proper public spirit, might see their way clear to emulate the example set by people in other cities and offer a rights at all in the premises, and to my rights at all in the premises, and to my rights at all in the premises, and to my subscription or endowment to the park; amazement I find that the only excuse there is much to be done and little to do it with. No city anywhere has a more 493, approved December 16, 1882; said While not strictly within the bounds works and lay gas pipes in the public

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